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Acting Chief, FBIS

**Programs to be Monitored by the Cyprus Station**

1. Enclosed in accordance with your request of 11 May 1948 is a proposed schedule of monitoring coverage for the Cyprus station when completely activated.

2. Times are stated in Eastern Standard Time, which is the standard frame of reference for broadcast hours. You will find it convenient to have most of your office clocks set to Eastern Standard Time.

3. Because of information obtained since memorandum dated 19 January 1948 and 31 March 1948, no Hungarian or Polish schedules are included in the attached. It appears unlikely that Cyprus will be able to add to possible NBC coverage of Budapest, and information at hand concerning regional Polish broadcasts does not reveal anything of possible value. If members of your staff should have Polish or Hungarian as secondary languages some sampling will be desirable but it does not seem worthwhile to recruit specifically for these languages.

4. Yugoslav regional broadcasts are not listed merely because of insufficient information about their schedules. It is estimated that there should be enough work for one Serb/Croat monitor in addition to the requirements indicated by the Serb/Croat broadcasts herewith listed.

5. Coverage of Moscow broadcasts in languages for which NBC has monitors is also omitted herein. If staff scheduling permits, some sampling in this field may be desirable but would require a high degree of coordination with NBC to avoid duplication of effort. Coverage of such broadcasts should not be taken into consideration in recruiting.

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